**Annotation 6**

**Information:**

Citation   
Clemmitt, Marcia. "Once Shunned, Hackers Are Embraced by industry"   
     *CQ Reseacher Online*. N.p., 16 Sept. 2011. Web. 3 Oct. 2011.   
     <http://library.cqpress.com/cqresearcher/   
     document.php?id=cqresrre2011091600>.  
Author’s credentials   
*The author has extensively research the topic and likely had a large amount of knowledge before the research*   
Scope and purpose of the work   
*Informational Report*

Intended audience   
*Both lay person and an expert in the field*

**Summary:**

Identify the author’s thesis.   
*Industries are starting to embrace hackers*  
What are the main arguments?   
*She give many examples of companies using hackers to better their software and secure there systems*

**Evidence?**

*Clemmitt provides information about how many hackers used to better software help find security holes and all for free, just for their enjoyment. Now companies are willing to pay for this service so more and more people will want to use hacking to improve their software and security*

*This states the idea that hackers a very needed to do many things more that to attack people.*

**Evaluation**

Evaluation of research   
*yes the research is clear and logical*  
Evaluation of scope   
yes the topic has been adequately addressed   
Evaluation of author bias   
*The author is motivated to inform people of the rise in need of hackers*

**Reflection**   
I learned that companies are using hackers for more than just security

This helped me to expand what my understanding of what hackers are useful for

**Annotation 7**

**Information:**

Citation   
Clemmitt, Marcia. "Computer Hacking Can “good” hackers help fight cybercrime?"   
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Author’s credentials   
*The author has extensively research the topic and likely had a large amount of knowledge before the research*  
Scope and purpose of the work   
*Informational report*  
Intended audience   
*Lay Person*

**Summary:**

Identify the author’s thesis.   
*The author is informing people of the origin of hacking*  
What are the main arguments?   
*Students at universities such as Massachusetts Institute of Technology hacked the computers, and improved their capabilities*

*They added speed, games, and music*

*They started to call themselves “hackers” to say that they were computer geeks*

**Evidence?**

*Hackers enjoy to tinker, they enjoy to see what they can do, they want to explore and often improve upon things such as computer and other digital devices*

*Hackers started to create open-source or “Software or electronic devices with original source code that is openly published so other may improve or expand its capabilities and then perhaps freely distribute the modified code” and began to become famous for it, they developed websites and systems and began to actually make money off of the things they were doing*

**Evaluation**

Evaluation of research   
*Yes the research clear and logical*   
Evaluation of scope   
*Yes*   
Evaluation of author bias   
*The author is just informing people of the history of hacking*

**Reflection**

I learned how hacking started, which is exactly how im arguing it is still useful to add people and improve upon things

The original hackers caused computers to run faster and added things onto the systems like games and music

This is exactly what I want to inform people hackers are good for, helping rather than destroying.

Not all hackers are “evil” many do good things for people